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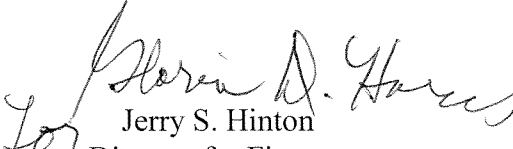
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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, MILITARY PAY OPERATIONS, DEFENSE  
FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE (PM/CL)

SUBJECT: Interim Change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A, Regarding Hardship Duty Location  
Pay (DFAS Item N-01)

Attached is Interim Change 10-04 to Chapter 17 of the Defense Financial Management Regulation (DoDFMR), Volume 7A. This change modifies certain locations and rates qualifying for Hardship Duty Location Pay. These modifications have multiple effective dates with the earliest being February 1, 2004.

This is a routine change and the result of directed action that does not affect existing policies. A draft of this change was not provided for comments. Assignment of the interim change number is your authority to initiate a procedural modification to implement this change. Use the attached to initiate the formal change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A.

*for*   
Jerry S. Hinton  
Director for Finance

Attachment:  
As stated

cc: OUSD(C)(ODCFO)(FP)  
ODUSD(MPP)(Comp)  
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Service Liaisons  
USCG/NOAA/PHS Liaisons  
DFAS-GAM/DE  
DFAS-PMJE/DE  
DFAS-DDM/CL

**HARDSHIP DUTY LOCATION PAY**

1. Make the following changes to Figure 17-1, Hardship Duty Location Pay for Designated Areas based on increases effective February 1, 2004:

a. Azores, Portugal. Close all current entries for the Azores, effective January 31, 2004. Insert a new entry for All, at a rate of \$50, effective February 1, 2004.

b. Belize. Close the current entry for Belize City, effective January 31, 2004. Insert a new entry for Belize City, at a rate of \$100, effective February 1, 2004. Close the current entry for Other, effective January 31, 2004. Insert a new entry for Other, at a rate of \$150, effective February 1, 2004.

c. Brazil. Insert a new entry for Rio de Janeiro & Brazilia, at a rate of \$50, effective February 1, 2004.

d. Bulgaria. Close all current entries for Bulgaria, effective January 31, 2004. Insert a new entry for All, at a rate of \$150, effective February 1, 2004.

e. China. Close the current entry for Beijing, Shanghai, & Others effective January 31, 2004. Insert a new entry for Beijing & Other, at a rate of \$150, effective February 1, 2004. Insert a new entry for Shanghai, at a rate of \$100, effective February 1, 2004. Close the current entry for Hong Kong, effective January 31, 2004. Insert a new entry for Hong Kong, at a rate of \$50, effective February 1, 2004.

f. Fiji. Close the current entry for Fiji, effective January 31, 2004. Insert a new entry for Fiji, at a rate of \$100, effective February 1, 2004.

g. Guatemala. Close the current entry for Guatemala, effective January 31, 2004. Insert a new entry for Guatemala City, at a rate of \$50, effective February 1, 2004. Insert a new entry for Other, at a rate of \$100, effective February 1, 2004.

h. India. Close all current entries for India, effective January 31, 2004. Insert a new entry for All, at a rate of \$150, effective February 1, 2004.

i. Mexico. Close the current entry for Merida, Monterrey, Mexico City & Tuxtia Gutierrez, effective January 31, 2004. Insert a new entry for Merida, Nuevo Laredo, & Tuxtia Gutierrez,

at a rate of \$50, effective February 1, 2004. Insert a new entry for Mexico City, at a rate of \$100, effective February 1, 2004. Insert a new entry for Monterrey at a rate of \$50, effective February 1, 2004.

j. Nicaragua. Close all current entries for Nicaragua, effective January 31, 2004. Inset a new entry for All, at a rate of \$150, effective February 1, 2004.

k. Suriname. Close the current entry for Suriname, effective January 31, 2004. Insert a new entry for Suriname, at a rate of \$150, effective February 1, 2004.

l. Taiwan. Close the current entry for Taiwan, effective January 31, 2004. Insert a new entry for Kaohsiung & Taipei, at a rate of \$100, effective February 1, 2004. Insert a new entry for Other, at a rate of \$150, effective February 1, 2004.

m. Tanzania. Close all current entries for Tanzania, effective January 31, 2004. Insert a new entry for All, at a rate of \$150, effective February 1, 2004.

n. Thailand. Close the current entry for Bangkok, Chiang Mai, Udon & Other, effective January 31, 2004. Insert a new entry for Bangkok & Chiang Mai, at a rate of \$50, effective February 1, 2004. Insert a new entry for Udon & Other, at a rate of \$100, effective February 1, 2004.

o. Venezuela. Close the current entry for Venezuela, effective January 31, 2004. Insert a new entry for Venezuela, at a rate of \$100, effective February 1, 2004.

p. Yemen. Close the current entry for Yemen, effective January 31, 2004. Insert a new entry for Yemen, at a rate of \$100, effective February 1, 2004.

2. Make the following changes to Figure 17-1, Hardship Duty Location Pay for Designated Areas based on decreases effective May 1, 2004:

a. Mexico. Close the February 1, 2004, entry for Monterrey effective April 30, 2004. Insert a new entry for Monterrey, at a rate of \$0, effective May 1, 2004.

b. Peru. Close the current entry for Peru effective April 30, 2004. Insert a new entry for Peru, at a rate of \$100, effective May 1, 2004.

c. Romania. Close all current entries for Romania, effective April 30, 2004. Insert a new entry for All, at a rate of \$100, effective May 1, 2004.

3. Make the following changes to Figure 17-1, Hardship Duty Location Pay for Designated Areas to better clarify existing rates:

a. Indonesia. Close all current entries for Indonesia, effective October 31, 2001. Insert a new entry for All, effective November 1, 2001, at a rate of \$100.

b. Israel. Close all current entries for Israel, effective March 30, 2003. Insert a new entry for All, effective March 31, 2003, at a rate of \$50.

c. Kenya. Close all current entries for Kenya, effective May 22, 2002. Insert a new entry for All, effective May 23, 2002, at a rate of \$100.

d. Kuwait. Close all current entries for Kuwait, effective March 30, 2003. Insert a new entry for All, effective March 31, 2003, at a rate of \$100.

e. Sri Lanka. Close all current entries for Sri Lanka, effective October 13, 2001. Insert a new entry for All, effective October 14, 2001, at a rate of \$150.

f. Syria. Close all current entries for Syria, effective July 30, 2003. Insert a new entry for All, effective July 31, 2003, at a rate of \$100.

4. Add the following citation to the Figure 17-1 bibliography for the entries described in paragraphs 1 and 2 above:

OUSD(P&R) Memo, January 28, 2004